

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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| APPLICANTS: | Ian Donald, et al | § | ART UNIT: 3671 |
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| FOR: | Connection System for Subsea Flow Interface Equipment | § | CONFIRMATION NO.: 8541 |

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Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action of August 31, 2010, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.